MINUTES OF A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE CLARKSVILLE TOWN COUNCIL HELD ON AUGUST 7, 2014

A special meeting of the Clarksville Town Council was called to order on August 7, 2014, at 7:00 P.M. in the Council Chambers of the Clarksville Municipal Center Administration Building by Council President Bob Polston who chaired the meeting.

<u>Council members present</u>: Bob Polston, Paul Kraft, Bob Popp, Don Tetley, Tim Hauber and John Gilkey. Absent: Paul Fetter. Also present at the meeting Clerk Treasurer Robert Leuthart, Attorney Chris Sturgeon, Attorney Rebecca Lockard, Project Coordinator Britany Montgomery, Parks Superintendent Brian Kaluzny, Stormwater Director Tom Clevidence, Engineer Harold Hart, Benefits Coordinator Naomi Polston and Stacey Schultz.

Andy Swanson, 1020 Irving Drive is opposed to the drainage study and did not want Ray Lawrence Park to be changed. Mr. Hart responded to the flooding issue. Mr. Kaluzny stated that the park needed to be updated and that the Parks Master Plan will be incorporated into the study.

<u>Brian Bayless, 1003 Irving Drive</u> stated that he likes the park. He was concerned that the drainage study stated that it should work. He then asked the council about the sewage bill rates. Mr. Hart went into detail about how the project is planned to work. Then Mrs. Montgomery responded to the rate increase. Mr. Clevidence also added that the town wants to protect homes, roads and water.

Sue Clemons, 1006 Irving Drive is ready for the project to start in Ray Lawrence Park.

<u>Sharon Carpenter, 1014 Irving Drive</u> stated all the flooding issues she has been thru including the financial problems it has caused her. She likes Ray Lawrence Park and she hopes the council will vote yes to the proposal.

<u>Vennie Lucas, 1016 Mayfair Avenue</u> has flooding issues because his drain keeps getting stopped up. Mr. Clevidence knew of the problem and said he would contact Superintendent Brad Cummings to look at the street.

Andy Swanson, 1020 Irving Drive questioned the insurance issues. He was concerned about a fence going around the basin. Mrs. Montgomery stated that there was no need for a fence because the basin would not hold water unless it rained. Mr. Hart also clarified.

Comments

-Mr. Clevidence stated the property on Applegate will be used for the drainage project. He suggested that would help to eliminate the mosquito problem.

-Mr. Popp stated that this is the time to move forward, this is the time to make the improvements needed for Ray Lawrence Park.

Mrs. Montgomery was asked for an update for the drainage project. She went over all the details that she had.

<u>Adjournment</u>... There being no further business to come before the Council at this time, Council Member Kraft made a motion to adjourn, Council Member Gilkey seconded the motion and was carried by unanimous vote. The meeting was adjourned at 7:50 P.M.

Minutes prepared by the Clerk-Treasurer of The Town of Clarksville, Indiana	Minutes approved by the Clarksville Town Council on the 18th of August 20, 2014
Robert P Leuthart, Clerk-Treasurer Of the Town of Clarksville, IN	Bob Polston, President Clarksville Town Council